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ATTENTION: DR FRANK GAULDFELDT, IO

E.O. 11652: N/A
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SUBJ: WHO FIRST MEETINGS OF CHIEFS OF ADMINISTRATION AND
FINANCE

1. WHO ADG FURTH BROUGHT TOGETHER IN OCTOBER FOR THE FIRST TIME ALL REGIONAL CHIEFS OF ADMINISTRATION AND FINANCE FOR A WEEK'S MEETING, INCLUDING PAHO'S CHIEF ADMINISTRATOR AND FINANCE OFFICER. THE OCCASION WAS THE REORIENTING OF THE WORK OF THE ORGANIZATION AS A RESULT OF WHA RESOLUTION 29.48. THE AGENDA IS REPRODUCED IN PARA 2 BELOW. IN ADDITION, MISSION HAS POUCHED FURTH'S INTRODUCTORY SPEECH TO THE REGIONAL ADMINISTRATION AND FINANCE CHIEFS TO THE DEPARTMENT, ATTENTION DR GAULDFELDT. FURTH HAS INFORMED MISSION THERE WERE NO STARTLING DEVELOPMENTS, THAT IT WAS AN ATTEMPT TO WORK MORE CLOSELY WITH THE REGIONS, AND TO GO OVER INTERNAL BUSINESS WITH NOTHING OF SPECIAL INTEREST FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF DHEW.

2. AGENDA ON MEETING OF CHIEFS OF ADMINISTRATION AND FINANCE:

(1) HIGHLIGHTS OF REGIONAL ADMIN AND FINANCE ACTIVITIES. REPORT BY EACH OFFICER ON HIGHLIGHTS OF ACTIVITIES IN HIS FIELD.

(2) IMPLEMENTATION OF RESOLUTION 29.48 (EXCHANGE OF INFORMATION AS TO MEASURES TAKEN AT HQ AND RO TO IMPLEMENT IT.

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(3) IMPACT OF DECENTRALIZATION OF HQ ACTIVITIES IN THE REGIONS.

(4) ADMIN AND FINANCE INFORMATION SYSTEMS (PROGRESS REPORT).

(5) MANAGEMENT SURVEYS, HOW THEY CAN BE OF ASSISTANCE IN THE REGIONS.

(6) SIMPLIFICATION OF B&F PROCEDURES (PAYMENTS OF VOUCHERS, TRANSFERS, ETC.).

(7) PROGRAM BUDGETING.

(8) PERSONNEL POLICY IN THE SELECTION, RECRUITMENT, ROTATION, ABOLITION, TERMINATION, APPEALS.

(9) POST CLASSIFICATIONS, STATEMENT AS TO HOW TO RECLASSIFY POSTS AND EXPERIENCES IN THIS AREA.

(10) ICSC: EXPLANATION OF ITS RECOMMENDATIONS.

(11) ROLE OF THE STAFF ASSOCIATIONS.

(12) RENTAL SUBSIDIES FOR FIELD STAFF.

(13) MANAGEMENT TRAINING NEEDS.

(14) SIMPLIFICATION OF PROCESSING FOR OPERATION AND EXCHANGE OF LETTERS.

(15) UNDP, WHERE IT NOW STANDS FINANCIALLY, AND WHAT WHO HAS TO DO ABOUT IT.CATTO

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